

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Stanley et al.

Application No. 10/029,430

Filed: December 18, 2001

Confirmation No. 6443

For: ANTIGEN PREPARATION AND USE

Examiner: Bao Qun Li

Art Unit: 1648

Attorney Reference No. 7007-61953

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This responds to the Office action dated July 14, 2003 in the above-identified application. A one-month period for reply was set, making a response due on or before August 14, 2003. Applicants hereby submit a petition for a four-month extension of time and the required fee of \$740.00, making a response due on or before December 14, 2003. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

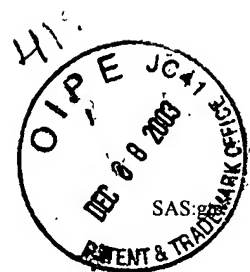
Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed are a Response to Restriction Requirement and Exhibit A for filing in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
For	No. after amendment	No. paid for previously	Present Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	25	- 25*	= 0	\$9.00	\$ 0.00
Indep. Claims	2	- 3**	= 0	\$43.00	\$ 0.00
Mult. Dep. Claims Fee (if not previously paid)				\$145.00	\$0.00
One-month Extension of Time				\$55.00	\$0.00
Two-month Extension of Time				\$210.00	\$0.00
Three-month Extension of Time				\$475.00	\$0.00
Four-month Extension of Time				\$740.00	\$740.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$740.00

* greater of twenty or number for which fee has been paid.

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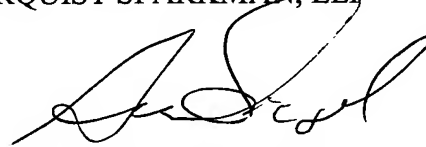
☒ Applicants petition for an extension of time for the number of months indicated above. If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$740.00 is attached.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees that may be required in connection with filing this amendment and any extension of time, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4550. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Please return the enclosed postcard to confirm that the items listed above have been received.

Respectfully submitted,

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